DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*		
Prices of food grains—Boiled rice (2nd sort) ...	5·51	4·25	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi	11·55	8·77	
Rangoon rice (2nd sort) ...		4·88	

The State of Standing crops.—Fair.

Agricultural operations.—Weeding of ragi and paddy are going on. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are reported to be sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Markets are fairly well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Weeding operations are going on in parts of Hoskote, Dodballapur, Channapatna, Devanhalli Taluks and Closepet Sub-Taluk.

Seeds sown.—Kulthi in parts of Hoskote and Nelamangala Taluks; ragi and pulses in parts of Kankanhalli Taluk.

Standing crops.—Paddy in parts of Dodballapur, Nelamangala, Channapatna, Devanhalli Taluks and Closepet Sub-Taluk; ragi in parts of Hoskote, Dodballapur, Kankanhalli, Magadi, Channapatna, Devanhalli Taluks and Closepet Sub-Taluk; sugar-cane in parts of Dodballapur, Nelamangala, Kankanhalli, Magadi, Channapatna Taluks and Closepet Sub-Taluk; pulses in parts of Hoskote, Dodballapur, Kankanhalli, Magadi Taluks and Closepet Sub-Taluk; jola in parts of Dodballapur and Kankanhalli Taluks and mulberry in parts of Devanhalli Taluk and Closepet Sub-Taluk, are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Til in parts of Bangalore, Dodballapur, Nelamangala and Closepet Sub-Taluk; groundnuts in parts of Bangalore Taluk.

Damages to crops.—Nil.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stuffs are available, but prices continue to be high. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in parts of Bangalore, Hoskote, Kankanhalli, Channapatna, Devanhalli Taluks and Closepet Sub-Taluk, influenza in parts of Hoskote Taluk. Fever in parts of Nelamangala Taluk.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Paddy in almost all the taluks and in Gudibanda Sub-Taluk; and horse gram in parts of the Malur, Chikballapur and Bagepalli Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Nil.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane, paddy, jola, gidragi, ragi, avare and togari are reported to be in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season good. The rainfall has been general throughout the district, and especially heavy in the Malur Taluk and the Srinivaspur town. Many tanks are reported to have received a good supply of water. Paddy is reported to have been sown in all parts of the district, ragi and other dry crops are also thriving well. Prices of food grains continue to be the same as in the previous weeks. Labour sufficient for cooly classes.

11. Public health is generally good, except for influenza in parts of the Kolar and Malur Taluks.

12. Cattle healthy, except for rinderpest in parts of the Bagepalli Taluk. Pasture, fodder and water are available.

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TUMKUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9 *Crops sown.*—Paddy in parts of Tumkur and Kunigal Taluks; horse gram in parts of Tumkur, Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Gubbi and Kunigal Taluks and Koratagere and Turuvekere Sub-Taluks; haraka and black gram in parts of Turuvekere Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Til in parts of Tumkur Taluk, yield 8 annas; Nate ragi and jola in parts of Sira Taluk, yield 2 annas; sugar-cane in parts of Kunigal Taluk and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk; Nate ragi in parts of Pavagada Taluk, yield 8 to 12 annas.

Standing crops.—Paddy, ragi, sugar-cane, jola, groundnut, til, avare, togari, hutchellu, castor, savé, navane, haraka, black and green grams, chillies and cotton are reported to be in fair condition.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Good except in Pavagada Taluk and some parts of Maddagiri, Sira, Gubbi and Tiptur Taluks where they are fair and more rain is wanted. Days are cloudy and the weather is indicative of more rain.

11. Public health is good in all parts of the district, except for small-pox in parts of Pavagada Taluk. plague at Kyatsandra, Tumkur Taluk, is reported to be subsiding.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy throughout the district. Rinderpest in Koratagere Sub-Taluk is reported to be subsiding. Water and fodder are available in all taluks, except in Pavagada, where some difficulty, it is reported, is being felt for fodder.

MYSORE.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed and made ready for sowing horse gram in parts of Mysore Taluk.

Standing crops are ragi, togari, sugar-cane, cotton, castor, coriander, chilly, samè, paddy, mulberry, avare, green gram and haraka; and they are reported to be in good condition.

Crops sown.—Horse gram in parts of Seringapatam, Gundlupet, T.-Narsipur and Nagamangala Taluks; black and green grams, coriander and halasandi in parts of Gundlupet Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Ragi in parts of Hunsur, Heggaddevankote and Nanjangud Taluks, (yield 4 annas to 8 annas); til in parts of Hunsur, Heggaddevankote, Gundlupet and Nanjangud Taluks (yield 4 annas to 8 annas); jola in parts of Hunsur, Gundlupet, Nanjangud and Nagamangala Taluks and sugar-cane in parts of Nagamangala Taluk (yield 12 annas).

10. Prospects of the season are good.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in parts of Mysore, Chamrajnagar, Seringapatam, Hunsur, Yedatore, Gundlupet and Nanjangud Taluks.

12. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy, except for doddaroga in parts of Mysore, Seringapatam, Hunsur and Gundlupet Taluks. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Horse gram in Arsikere, Arkalgud and Hole-Narsipur Taluks, avare in Arkalgud Taluk; green and black grams in Hole-Narsipur Taluk are being sown.

Transplantation of paddy is going on in Manjarabad, Belur and Channarayapatna Taluks and Doddaragi in the Arsikere and Channarayapatna Taluks.

Standing crops.—Paddy, ragi and sugar-cane in Hassan, Hole-Narsipur, Channarayapatna and Arkalgud Taluks; cholam and castor in the Channarayapatna Taluk and black and green grams and chillies in the Arsikere Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Giddaragi in Hassan Taluk and Alur Sub-Taluk and til in Arsikere Taluk are being harvested. The reaping of giddaragi and cardamoms are reported to have been delayed in Belur and Manjarabad Taluks, respectively, on account of incessant rains.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be good, except in the Belur and Manjarabad Taluks. No tank is reported to be full. More rain is required in the Arsikere Taluk.

11. Public health is generally good except for plague in parts of Salgame Hobli in Hassan Taluk, parts of Kundur Hobli in Alur Sub-Taluk and parts of Halekote Hobli in Hole-Narsipur Taluk.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy, except for "Chappe Roga" in parts of Hole-Narsipur Taluk. Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing in parts of the Shimoga Taluk and Kumsi Sub-Taluk; and weeding process in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk are going on.

Seeds sown.—Ragi in parts of the Kumsi Sub-Taluk; and horse gram in parts of the Shimoga Taluk.

State of standing crops.—Sugar-cane and paddy in all the taluks; ragi in the taluks of Honnali, Shikarpur, Sorab and Nagar; jola in the taluks of Honnali and Shikarpur; green gram, til, savè, avare, togari in the Honnali Taluk; chillies in the Shikarpur Taluk are reported to be in good condition. "*Kole Roga*" is reported to be prevailing in the Avinahalli Hobli, Sagar Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Nil.

10. The prospects of the season are fair.

11. Except for plague at Shiralkoppa, Shikarpur Taluk, and Ittidehalli, Kumsi Sub-Taluk, the public health is reported to be good.

12. Except for rinderpest in the villages of Kanchikoppa, Honnali Taluk; Hosur, Shikarpur Taluk; and foot and mouth disease in the village of Hubbanahalli (Kumsi Sub-Taluk), the cattle are reported to be healthy. Fodder and water are available in all the taluks.

KADUR.

8. The markets were fairly supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Transplanting of paddy is going on.

Crops sown.—Nil.

Standing crops.—Chikmagalur Taluk—Paddy, ragi, jolam, til, sugar-cane, garlic and potatoes. Tarikere Taluk—Paddy, ragi, til, sugar-cane, green gram, black gram, and coriander, Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk—Paddy and sugar-cane. Sringeri Jahagir—Areca.

The standing crops are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Chikmagalur Taluk—Ragi, estimated yield 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stuffs are available. Prices continue to be high. It is reported that rain is wanted in parts of Tarikere Taluk.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in parts of the Chikmagalur Taluk.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets were adequately supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Ragi, jola, togari, horse gram, black and green grams, til, paddy, sajje, castor, ground-nut, sugar-cane, avare, cotton, navane, and savé are reported to be in good condition in all the taluks, except Challakere, Molakalmuru, Hosdurga and Harihar where they are reported to be withering for want of rain. Want of rain is felt everywhere in the district.

Seeds sown.—Cotton in the Chitaldrug Taluk, ragi in the Hiriyur Taluk; horse gram; navane, savè and cotton, Holalkere Taluk; cotton, navane, hore gram and savé in the Davangere Taluk; and cotton, horse gram and navane in Jagalur Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Green gram and wheat in the Chitaldrug Taluk (yield 4 and 6 annas respectively), green gram and til in the Holalkere Taluk (yield 12 annas), til, jola, green gram and baragu in the Hosdurga Taluk (yield 4 annas).

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Cooly classes are finding sufficient labour. Food stuffs are available, but the prices remain high as usual.

11. Public health is generally good, but for plague in the towns of Davangere and Jagalur and in some villages of Davangere Taluk and Harihar Sub-Taluk.

12. Cattle are generally healthy, but for foot and mouth diseases in certain villages of Challakere, Holalkere and Hosdurga Taluks. Water and fodder are available. Date leaves are being used for fodder in parts of Hosdurga Taluk.

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